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**Did You Ever Stop to Think**

By E. R. Waite, Secretary, Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.

THAT the advertising columns are the buyers guide because in them you will not find poor goods advertised, but you will find the names of firms who sell good goods cheap.

THAT one of the best ways to build a city is for the citizens to unite on building up home institutions.

THAT a campaign of education to teach the importance of the home city should be put on in many cities.

THAT too many people make their living in a city and spend most all they make in some other city.

THAT outside concerns pay no taxes in your city, all they do is to take away and put nothing back.

THAT it is always better to oil the machinery that builds the home city than to grease the wheels that build some other city and kills yours. BUY AT HOME!

THAT the people who have pride in the home city and want to see it progress—who want to see their city kept out of the rut—who want to help instead of hinder—have the proper spirit—THEY BUY AT HOME.

THAT a man who thinks first of the home city is to be admired—the man who does not is to be despised.

Good citizens have the interest of their home city at heart and they appreciate the blessings their city offers and they are engaging with others to make the home city bigger and better.

**HUNT'S DAILY LETTER**

BY HARRY B. HUNT

WASHINGTON—Old-timers in Kansas, whose crops were devastated by the plague of grasshoppers which swept the prairies in 1874, couldn't, of course, know that they were simply paying, in advance, the price of making a Kansas boy majority leader in the United States Senate in 1924.

Students of cause and effect, however, if they will examine the facts, must inevitably decide that exactly what happened

For if it hadn't been, for the grasshoppers, Charley Curtis would not have severed, when he did, his life with the Kansas tribe of Indians and the whole course of his later years probably would have been changed.

YOUNG CURTIS was at that time a lad of 14. He had lived intermittently, following his mother's death when he was three, with his father's folks in Topeka and with his mother's people in the Kansas tribe of Indians. During this period his maternal grand-mother, Julie Pappen, who was one-half Indian, was his constant guide and counselor.

He had attended the mission school at the Kansas Indian Reservation, when with his grand-mother, and the town grammar school when in Topeka.

When the grasshopper plague hit the state, however, the Indians decided on an exodus down into the Indian Territory, where the pastures had not been stripped. It was determined Charley should go with his maternal grandparents.

One night while they were in camp about six miles east of Topeka, with everything ready for hitting the trail for the "Territory," Grandmother Pappen called the boy to her. Briefly, she told him that while he was one-eighth Indian he was seven-eighths white, and that if he expected to make a success in life he must cast his lot with the white men. She urged him to stay in Topeka, go to school and make something of himself.

CHARLEY stayed. He sold fruit at trains and did odd jobs to earn money through that winter.

Next spring he got a job riding running horses and soon branched out as a full-fledged jockey. His success in the saddle won him a chance to make a swing round the circuit in the winter of '76, and he had about decided to give up school and keep with the races when his paternal grandmother, Cornelia Curtis, persuaded him again to stick by his books.

So he stuck it out in Topeka, getting all the education the public schools there offered and learning still more by a period of reporting on the North Topeka Times.

In this job he developed his contacts with people—a thing which was later to prove most valuable to him in politics. He came to know almost every man, woman and child in Shawnee county.

IN '79, when 19 years of age, the district court conferred the rights of majority upon him. So he became "his own man" at 19 instead of 21. In that same year he began the study of law with A. H. Case in Topeka. He was admitted to practice in '81, and in '84 made his first venture into politics, getting himself elected county prosecutor.

In this office, which he held for two terms, he made a record seldom equaled: He lost but three cases his first year, only one the second and none at all in his third and fourth years.

NEXT came Congress. First as representative, then as senator, he has served a total of 26 years in Washington—10 in the House and 16 in the Senate. In the House—perhaps because he had learned how to wield one as a jockey—he was assistant "whip." On coming to the Senate he was made assistant to Murray Crane of Massachusetts, then whip, and succeeded to the position of whip when Crane retired in 1911.

That position he held throughout the rest of his senatorial career until advanced to the Republican leadership following the death of Senator Lodge.

A taciturn, self-contained individual is Curtis, as befits his Indian ancestry. Swarthy of skin, powerful of build, with a square jaw and a firm hand, he looks able to lead by sheer force should persuasion fail.

In person and personality he is the exact opposite of the leader he succeeds.

But then Lodge could only trace his Americanism back to the Mayflower. Curtis' folks were here some centuries before that!

WHETTING HIS APPETITE



We like saxophone players and trap drummers but they always seem to be working to beat the band.

Largest pumpkin reported weighed 226 pounds. Would make enough pies to keep a whole town awake all night.

Hunting has been stopped in sections of the Michigan woods where smoking hunters blazed their trails.

Milwaukee woman is 110 and well but she can't remember a single rising generation that had any prospects.

Talk about hard luck! A New York man had to pay \$2162 for detectives which his jealous wife hired to watch him.

They think an Oakland (Calif.) boy is crazy because he set fire to houses, none of them schools.

Chicago plumber poisoned himself because of his troubles. This proves they don't forget everything.

Baseball pitcher is held for non-support in Florida. Usually it is the team that fails to support.

A Good Thing - DON'T MISS IT.

Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping coughs and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach trouble, indigestion, gas pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles and skin afflictions; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.

Are you satisfied with your pressing and cleaning work? Are you saving money on it? If not, join the BUSINESS MEN'S PRESSING CLUB. Everything guaranteed. Phone 274.

**Blue Band VELVET PENCILS**  
At all Dealers  
Supreme in their class.  
Soft No. 556  
Medium No. 557  
Write for trial sample  
American Lead Pencil Co.  
220 Fifth Ave., New York

**Eversharp**

PENS and PENCILS

For Christmas

**Get It at Lee's**

MAIL CHRISTMAS  
CHECKS TO-DAY

Approximately \$13,000 Placed In Post Office Awaiting Delivery To Members.

Some folks shy at the Number 13. They say it is a hoodoo—brings bad luck in train. Maybe so! Maybe not! Anyway there are some thousand people in and around Middlesboro, and even as far off as Lynch, whom it would be hard to convince that there was anything to the old superstition about the Number 13.

They are the 1921 Christmas Club members, for approximately \$13,000.00 in Christmas checks are in the postoffice today awaiting delivery.

THIRTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS! A neat little sum, isn't it?

And the nice thing about it is that no one person has a monopoly on it,—that Christmas in hundreds of homes will be made merrier because of letters Uncle Sam will deliver to them with "Join Our Christmas Club" in the upper left hand corner of the envelope.

Nannie Miller leads again! What about that! White Folks? A Christmas check of \$13,000 scribbled out over the wash tub! Not a white collar, soft-hand job, it is? It hasn't been easy sailing for Nannie this year. Sickness, sorrow, and even death have paid their respects to this colored wash-woman, but in spite of these handicaps, she is still at the top!

There are scores of others who have built up accounts of which in the next year or so.

Oxford To Be Home  
For Silver Foxes

LONDON, Dec. 10—England's first venture in silver fox farming is to get under way shortly, and already 20 pairs of foxes have been brought here from Canada and installed on a plot of ground near Oxford.

The 10 animals, which will be used for breeding purposes, are valued at \$10,000. The promoter of the enterprise, a farmer Canadian army officer, believes that the climate of England is ideally suited to the rearing of silver foxes, and hopes to expand his farm to include several hundred foxes within the next year or so.

Radio Program

KPGZ—Birken Springs (286) 7 dance; 8:15 program, party French, saxophone, speech. WEEL—Boston (347) cooking class; 6:10 Big Brother club; 6:30 Santa Claus; 7 music; 10 dance; 10 organ. WGR—Buffalo (319) 6 music; 8 lecture; 8:15 concert; 10:30 music. WMAQ—Chicago News (1475) 6 organ; 6:30 story lady; 8 lecture; 8:30 musical; 9 play-night; 9:15 talk. WLS—Chicago (345) 6:35 organ; 7-10 entertainers, pianist, farm program, book talk; 10:30 orchestra. WEBI—Chicago (370) 7 orchestra; 9 baritone, songs; 11 instrumental. KWF—Chicago (530) 6:35 Uncle Bob; 7 concert; 7:30-9:15 musical talk; 9:15-2:30 revue, orchestra, organ. WOJ—Chicago (418) 7-8 concert; 10:2 Rainbow Skyline. WOC—Davenport (184) 7 Sandman; 8 organ. WCX—Detroit (517) 6:30 musical program. WLW—Cincinnati (423) 8 orchestra; 8:10 drama; 8:55 band. WTAM—Cleveland (390) 7 concert. WWD—Detroit News (517) 6 news orchestra, soprano. WHO—Des Moines (526) 7:30-9 orchestra, Santa Claus, soprano. KNX—Hollywood (337) 8 music; 9 concert orchestra; 10 feature; 12-30 concert.

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.



Less "sweetening"  
hence truer flavor  
—the natural taste  
of fine tobaccos  
naturally blended

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## BRONCHITIS

At bedtime rub the throat and chest thoroughly with  
**VICKS VAPORUB**  
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

## BURNETT BROS.

Phone 42 Cumb. Ave.  
Heating and Plumbing

Store Your Car With  
**SERVICE MOTOR CO.**  
Phone 161 South 18th St.  
Cars Delivered Day or Night

Auto and Furniture Repair  
Auto Tops, Cushions; Furniture Repair, Upholstering;  
First-Class Workmanship  
20th St. At Mammoth Garage  
**MOYERS & MOYERS**  
Phone 651 20th Street  
At Mammoth Garage

Sand, Gravel, Slag, Straight  
Creek Coal Contract. Excavating and Filling. All kinds  
Team Work  
**D. C. SELLERS**  
Phone—Cumberland 238

  
**Earl L. Camp, O.D.**  
Vision Specialist  
and  
Manufacturing Optician  
MIDDLESBORO, KY

# STAND BACK!

HOLD OFF BUYING UNTIL—Wait—Until

9 A. M. ——————

**FRIDAY December 12th**

When Ginsburg's Big Annual

# HOLIDAY SALE

Opens with values that will  
positively sweep aside  
all competition!

**\$50** Absolutely  
GIVEN  
AWAY **FREE**

To the first fifty persons entering the store

**\$100,000 Stock at Savings of 1-4 to 1-2 and Even More**  
Presenting Even Greater Bargains than  
You Ever Dreamed of.

Every fibre in your being will thrill responsively to the amazing bargain revelations—the immense quantities in this sale and the sensational low prices at which goods will sell.

BE READY FRIDAY MORNING

Be among the first to partake of these incomparable savings!

**GINSBURG DEPT. STORE**

## SANTA CLAUS CORNER



carriage. Other household furnishings. Sell cheap. Party leaving town. Call 6021— 12-3\*

AN OPPORTUNITY—for a man or woman with business experience and executive ability to connect with a firm manufacturing Ladies' Millinery and Ready-to-Wear. We want to establish a small store in town of your own preference. You are to invest \$1000.00 and hold an equity on one half interest in the store which you will manage. Liberal drawing account will be allowed. For further particulars write Maison Vogue, 516 1-2 Gay St., Knoxville, Tenn.

12-13

LOCATE IN PINEVILLE—The Gem City of the Appalachians. House partly furnished; lot 50x125ft. Desirable location on Virginia Avenue. A good investment. An ideal home for newly-weds. Phone or write H. R. Carter, Pineville, Ky.

12-13

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room. Call 147. 402 Exter Ave. 12-13

WANTED—Four drawer oak filing cabinet.—Call 192. 12-Gif.

SUIT OR OVERCOAT—Tailored, \$23.50.—One price line-direct to you.—The A. NASH Co.—Call J. Colson McKeahan—Phone 6. 12-29

WANTED Furnished room for light house-keeping or bedroom. Phone 288. 12-10-3\*

7 ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE

For rent until May 1st. Reasonable rent to responsible parties. Cumb Phone 277 Pineville. 12-11

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment of four rooms with bath. Citizens Bank building. Phone 323. 11-ff.

7 ROOMS FOR RENT—3 down

stairs 4 up stairs.—See H. D. Williamson or call 511. 12-12

FOR SALE—Baby sulky in first class condition. Cheap. Phone 63. 12-10-ff.

FOR SALE—Good fresh Jersey cow cheap. A. H. Gragg South 24th Street. 12-9-10\*

FOR SALE—Crosley Radio, 2 tube receiving set complete including 5 sets head phones. Batteries and aerial. \$40. Call 515-J. 11-29ff

FOR SALE—Cane mahogany living room suite; mahogany bedroom suite; Walnut dining suite; Majestic range; Kitchen cabinet; refrigerator; rug; baby bed and

FOR SALE—White gold wrist watch and band. Engraved P. G. J.—Phone 770 W. Reward. 12-11\*

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—White gold wrist watch and band. Engraved P. G. J.—Phone

770 W. Reward. 12-11\*

REWARD—Leveller Setter.

Black and white spotted, curly hair on each ear. Brown eyelashes

Finder please bring to City Hall to Ben Humbard, receive Reward.

Answers to name King. 12-11

FOR RENT—2-rooms furnished for light house-keeping. 1 sleeping room, 3 unfurnished rooms. All have bath. 1-5-room house with 6 acres land.—Phone 105. 12-11

FOR RENT—Five room house; lights, water, garden and cow pasture. Call 645. A. A. Lawson 12-11

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# SOCIETY

Items of News and Society In Your Neighborhood Will Interest Other Readers. Why Not Phone Them In. Call 63.

## HOLD CHAPTER MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

Middleboro Chapter number 135. F.A. Masons will hold its regular monthly meeting, Friday night of this week.

## MASSONS CONFER DEGREE

ON ONE MEMBER  
Pinnacle Lodge No. 601 F. and A.M. of Middleboro conferred the F. and A.M. degree on Mr. Joe Leonard Tuesday night.

## Will Hold Bazaar In Kentenna Hall

The ladies of the M. E. Church, Middleboro will hold a bazaar, Thursday beginning at 10:00 O'clock, in Kentenna Hall. The hall is located one block from Cumberland Avenue and easily accessible to all shoppers.

A lunch will be served at noon. Quantities of unique and distinctive gifts will be on display. This will find a very complete line of novelties from which they may choose their Christmas gifts.

## "Oh Doctor" To Be Given At Carnival

"Oh, Doctor," a blackface comedy will be given at the high school carnival Friday evening, December 12th. It is the story of a substitute doctor and his assistant, who in the absence of the real doctor treated the patients with uproariously funny methods and never with any view of charity. When the doctor returns he has much to answer for. It is a black face sketch which starts with a laugh and ends with a roar.

The character are as follows:

Bezekiah Quack, M. D.—The cause of it all—Henry Sewell.

Sam Green—The smart servant—Montgomery Savage.

Birmingham Brown—The stupid servant—Graham Short.

Atlanta White—The "D" sceptic—Allen Chesney.

Norfolk Black—The rheumatic—Jack Bellah.

Hamblin Grey—The deaf patient—Kee Klinard.

Arabell Snow—The lank patient—William Wallbrecht.

Mrs. Hannah Squash The Bazaar Patient—Milton Weisstein.

## Card of Thanks

We desire to express our appreciation to our many friends for the kindless shown us in the death of our son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. GIBSON and Family

## WE STAND CORRECTED

A statement was made in the Monday's issue of "The News" that the water had risen on Mr. A. C. Carr's residence. Mr. Carr wishes to state that the water had reached two feet and eleven inches of being as high as it was in 1919 and that it was not near his property.

## LOCALS

Mr. C. G. Colby of Middleboro will act as office deputy during the collection of the state and county taxes for 1924. He will make his head quarters at the city hall. Work will begin the 15th of December.

It is understood that Mr. Floyd Broughton will have charge of the 1925 auto license distribution.

Mrs. Elizabeth Farland of Tazewell was shopping in town yesterday and visiting her sister, Mrs. T. A. Arnold.

Mr. Jason Chambers of Harlan is in Middleboro on business.

Miss Lella Colson of Gibson Station is visiting in this city.

You can buy all kinds of fancy articles and dresses, aprons, cakes, etc. and candy at the Christian Aid Bazaar, Dec. 13. 12-10:30

Mr. F. S. King of Pennington Gap has accepted a position with the Moore Rogan dry goods company as representative in Virginia territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gideon of Big Mountain, Ky., is shopping in Middleboro today.

The Knights of Pythias Lodge conferred the third degree on Mr. Benito Gross Tuesday evening.

Lucile Floyd, eight, broke the bones in both of her wrists Tuesday. The accident occurred on the public playground where a group of children were playing on the slide.

Mrs. S. E. Shelton of Pineville was shopping in Middleboro today.

Mrs. D. G. Hanks is taking a week's rest in the Broome-Brunswick hospital.

Time—Dec. 13; Place—Betty on three feet, with wild and roving Ray's Shoppe. Don't rush around eye; just wait for the Christian Aid Bazaar and buy and buy and buy.

Mrs. E. A. Mills and little daughter, will return to their home in Knoxville Wednesday after several weeks here with Mrs. T. G. Anderson who has been ill.

Mrs. William Bolton and daughter, Miss Irene, of Harrogate are shopping in Middleboro this afternoon.

## Rifle Enthusiasts Hold Elections

On last Tuesday at 7:15 a group of rifle enthusiasts met and organized under the name of the Middleboro Rifle Club. The following officers were elected: Executive officer, August Fischer; President, William Cresswell; Vice-president, Ered Fryer; Secretary, Charles Rodeffer; Treasurer, Earl Welshimer. The membership of the club is almost twenty, and a special effort will be made in the next few days to reach that number. Steps will be taken at once to affiliate the club with the National Rifle Association, under the provisions of which this club can secure rifles and ammunition from the government without cost. It will also be in position to purchase ammunition at wholesale rates. Targets will also be furnished by the government. Besides the equipment furnished by the National organization, a number of medals are awarded to those who excel in the various types of matches.

The club's range is on the east end of town. It has an excellent location and affords the very best facilities for practice. One shoot has already been held. The next will take place Saturday, Dec. 13, at 1:30 p. m. Graded targets will be used and accurate records of all shooting will be kept. The executive committee, consisting of the officers of the organization, will make plans at once for this shoot.

Arrangements will be made for indoor practice as soon as possible. It is also hoped that a junior organization can be effected, since only those sixteen or over can be admitted to the club.

## Girl Scouts Make Remarkable Record

Red Rose Troop No 1, was registered with National Girl Scout Headquarters in the early part of April 1922 with nine charter members, Mrs. W. C. Stair as Captain. The troop holds a number of honors and at present has a membership of fifteen registered scouts and one girl in training. Many members have dropped out since the organization of the troop and new ones have registered. Only one charter member is affiliated with the troop at the present time. This member is Miss Hazel Johns, and according to the record of the Troop Secretary, Scout Johns was known as the Baby Scout of the troop. This was during the camp held at Bohio in the summer of 1922. She is Middleboro's pioneer Girl Scout patrol leader of the first patrol, holds one of the highest Girl Scout honors—the Medal of Merit. Only three of these medals have been awarded to members of the Middleboro Girl Scouts, the other two girls to receive them being, Miss Helen Lewis of the Red Rose Troop

French Cars Use Four Wheel Brakes

PARIS, Dec. 10.—(AP)—France lays claim to giving the automobile to the world and guards jealously that honor, whether others concede her claim or not. Yet the tremendous number of cars in the United States obliges the French to recognize America as the automobile country of the world.

France feels, however, that she originates the new ideas for the gas-wagon. The war interrupted industrial development here and the American maker developed his car in the interval. But in the last three years the French car has been improved strikingly; French engineers apparently have made marvelous progress.

The four-wheel brake has been generalized in France and the "servo-brake," the mechanism designed to apply the brake pressure in direct proportion to the need for it, is now used on all the higher-priced cars, both of them to a greater extent than in the United States.

Judge and Mrs. M. J. Moss left Monday for St. Petersburg Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Miss Mary Heath has returned from Harlan where she visited Mrs. Bryan Whitefield.

Jim Hicks of Middleboro made a business trip here last week.

William Ray has been confined to his room for the past few days with a gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton Cosby of Middleboro were here visiting his brother, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Arnold Sunday.

Hazel, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Crigger is on the sick list this week.

Wils Brodford of Stony Fork Junction was visiting his brother, N. D. Brodford, here last week.

Plans to equip the playgrounds of the city school were launched at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club. The house committee was instructed to make arrangements for a public entertainment to raise the necessary funds. Milo Richards is chairman of the committee.

The 1025 senior class of Barberville High School will present

Mr. John Littrell made a business trip to Knoxville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Good are planning to spend Christmas with their home folks in Savana, Georgia.

Mr. White Leonard left Friday morning for Detroit.

Mrs. H. L. Willis has been

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